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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

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Title: TUBE PRODUCTION METHOD, HEAT-EXCHANGE TUBE
PRODUCED BY THE METHOD AND HEAT EXCHANGER
USING THE HEAT-EXCHANGE TUBE
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PRELIMINARY AMENDMENT

Commissioner of Patents
P.O. Box 1450
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Submitted: June 15, 2006

Dear Sir:

Preliminary to the examination of the above-mentioned application, please amend the application as follows:

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 2 of this paper.

Remarks begin on page 7 of this paper.